

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

Red Cross Building, Near Rose Garden,
Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

Ph: 0172-2864113, Visit us @ www.infocommpunjab.com,
Email: psic22@punjabmail.gov.in



Shri Navdeep Gupta, (9888364580)

S/o Sh. Deputy Chand Gupta,
House No. 455, Gillco Valley, Sector - 127,
Tehsil Kharar, District S.A.S Nagar - 140301
RTI Application No. 54221

....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer,

O/o Department of Employment Generation
and Training, Punjab, SCO 47/1, Sector 17 E,
Chandigarh.

First Appellate Authority,

O/o Department of Employment Generation
and Training, Punjab, SCO 47/1, Sector 17 E,
Chandigarh.

....Respondents

APPEAL CASE NO. 3872 OF 2023

PRESENT: Appellant: Absent

Respondent: Shri Harpreet Singh, Senior Assistant (9814843125)

ORDER:

The above said Appeal Case was earlier allocated to Shri Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner, Punjab. After his retirement, the said Appeal Case was allocated to the undersigned Bench. The RTI application is dated **02.03.2023** vide which the appellant has sought the information as enumerated in his RTI application. First Appeal was filed with the First Appellate Authority (FAA) on **22.04.2023** and Second Appeal was filed in the Commission on **15.06.2023** under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of Hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **11.12.2024**.

2. The respondent states that the demanded information does not relates to his office and further, he states that RTI application has been transferred to the PIO, Department of Employment Generation and Training, Punjab, Chandigarh, under section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005. In view of the respondents reply, the Commission impleads the PIO, Department of Employment Generation and Training, Punjab, Chandigarh, and directed the respondent to supply the requested information to the appellant through registered post within 15 days after receipt of this order, under intimation to the Commission.

3. However, the appellant is also absent without intimation. It is also a fact that notice of hearing was sent to him through registered post but even though he is absent, which seems that his absence is intentional and willful. **One opportunity** is awarded to both the parties to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

4. To come up on 09.04.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.

Date: 11.12.2024

Sd/-
(Virinderjit Singh Billing)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

PUNJAB STATE INFORMATION COMMISSION

Red Cross Building, Near Rose Garden,
Madhya Marg, Sector 16, Chandigarh.

Ph: 0172-2864113, Visit us @ www.infocommpunjab.com,
Email: psic22@punjabmail.gov.in



Shri Jagjit Singh, (9463371313)

5399, Mohalla Teliya Wala,
Bathinda – 151001

....Complainant

Versus

Public Information Officer,
O/o MC,
Bathinda.

....Respondents

COMPLAINT CASE NO. 374 OF 2023

PRESENT: Complainant: Absent
Respondent: Absent

ORDER:

The above said Complaint Case was earlier allocated to Shri Anumit Singh Sodhi, State Information Commissioner, Punjab. After his retirement, the said Complaint Case was allocated to the undersigned Bench. The application dated **08.05.2023** vide which the complainant has sought information as enumerated in her RTI application. Complaint was filed in the Commission on **16.06.2023** under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005 (hereinafter RTI Act). Notice of hearing was issued to the parties for today i.e. **11.12.2024**.

2. The complainant is absent but an email has been received from him dated 10.12.2024, mentioning therein that he is unable to attend the hearing and requested for an adjournment, which is taken on record. One opportunity is awarded to him to remain present on the next date of hearing for deliberations, failing which the case will be decided on merit, ex-parte.

3. However, the respondent PIO is also absent and requested for an adjournment through email dated 10.12.2024. The request of the respondent is granted. The perusal of the case files shows that the respondent submitted reply via email dated 10.12.2024, stating there in that the reply has already been sent to the complainant vide letter no. 762 dated 31.05.2023, which is taken on record.

4. Both parties are directed to remain present on the next date of hearing to take the matter to its logical end.

5. **To come up on 09.04.2025 at 11.00 A.M. at Chandigarh.**

Date: 11.12.2024

Sd/-
(Virinderjit Singh Billing)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab